

MAY 0 5 2008 TA

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Min K. Park et al.

Serial No.:

10/578,950

Case No.: 21567P

Art Unit 1626

Filed:

November 10, 2004

For:

SUBSTITUTED TRIAZOLES AS SODIUM CHANNEL

BLOCKERS

Auth. Off.: Susannah Lee Chung

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC §

371

The notification of April 15, 2008, indicates that an additional claim fee of \$2,250.00 is due for 45 total Claims over 20. Please note that the second page, item 23 section C, of the transmittal fee sheet, dated May 8, 2006, authorizes payment of any additional fees that may be required. By this communication the examiner again is authorized to charge Merck's Deposit Account No. 13-2755 the \$2,250.00 for the additional 45 Claims over 20.

The Notification also states that the Oath and Declaration has not been executed by all of the inventors. Enclosed is a copy of the completely executed Oath and Declaration.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on the date appearing below.

AN Date May

5/05/2038 HORERENI 00000096 132755

10578950

01 FD:1051 22 FC:1202 130.00 DA 2250.00 DA Authorization to further charge Merck's Deposit Account for the late submission of the Oath and Declaration is herein given.

Respectfully submitted

By:

Sylvja A. Ayler

Reg. No. 36,436

Attorney for Applicant(s)

MERCK & CO., INC.

P.O. Box 2000

Rahway, New Jersey 07065-0907

(732) 594-4909

Date: May 1, 2008

| MISC. FEE TRANSA | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT | \$2,380 |

| Complete if Known | | | | |
|------------------------|--------------------|--|--|--|
| Application Number | 10/ 578,950 | | | |
| Filing Date | November 10, 2004 | | | |
| First Named Inventor | Min K. Park | | | |
| Examiner Name | Susannah Lee Chung | | | |
| Group Art Unit | 1626 | | | |
| Attorney Docket Number | 21567P | | | |

| METHOD OF PAYMENT | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| ■ Deposit Account | | | | | |
| Dep | osit Accoun | nt Number 13-2755 Deposit Account Name Merck & Co., Inc. | | | |
| The I | Director is a | authorized to: | | | |
| Charge fee(s) indicated below | | | | | |
| Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 | | | | | |
| | | FEE CALCULATION | | | |
| FEES Large E | Entity | | | | |
| Fee | Fee | Fee Description | Fee Paid | | |
| Code | (\$) | · | 130 | | |
| 1051 | 130 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | | | |
| 1053 | 130 | Non-English Specification | | | |
| 1812 | 1812 2,520 For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination | | | | |
| 1402 | 510 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | | |
| 1452 | 510 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | | | |
| 1453 | 1,540 | Petition to revive - unintentional | | | |
| 1807 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | | | |
| 1806 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement | | | |
| 1809 | 810 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | | | |
| 1810 | 810 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | | | |
| 1840 | 130 | Statutory Terminal Disclaimer under 37 CFR 1.321 | | | |
| | | Other fee (specify) 37 CFR 1.492(f) fee for 45 claims over 20 | 2,250 | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | Other fee (specify) | | | |
| | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | | |
| | | TOTAL | \$2,380 | | |

| | SUBMITTED BY | Complete (if applicable) |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| Typed or Printed Name | Sylvia A Ayler | Reg. Number 36,436 |
| Signature | Date 05/01/2008 | Deposit Account User ID |
| | / / / | |